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Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 01142.0101

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Mark PAUSCH *et al.* ) Group Art Unit: 1647  
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Application No.: 09/786,056 ) Examiner: S. Wegert  
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International Filing Date: September 1, )  
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**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

**STATUS INQUIRY**

Applicant filed a Petition To Revive An Unintentionally Abandoned Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) on June 8, 2007. A decision on that petition has not been received.

In view of these circumstances, the undersigned respectfully requests that the Office advise Applicant regarding the status of this application as soon as possible in order to determine whether further action by Applicant is required at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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